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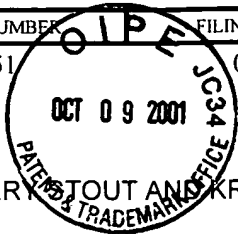


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*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
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Applicants: C. OKAMOTO, et al  
Serial No.: 09/931,251  
Filing Date: August 17, 2001  
For: DATABASE INTEGRATION MANAGEMENT METHOD AND  
APPARATUS AND PROCESSING PROGRAM, MEDIUM  
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October 9, 2001

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, which was originally filed on August 17, 2001 without a Declaration, and responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted dated October 4, 2001, please find attached hereto a Declaration for submission under 37 CFR §1.63, executed by each of the inventors in the above-identified application.

A Credit Card Payment Form authorizing the requisite \$130.00 fee is attached. Should any additional fees become due in connection with the filing of this Declaration, please charge Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (Case No. 500.40511X00).

Respectfully submitted,

  
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